management from time to time on case-to-case basis. The Government in December, 2004 also has set up a Board for Reconstruction of Public Sector Enterprises (BRPSE) for consideration of *inter alia,* restructuring/ revival of sick and loss making CPSEs.

Revival of Public Sector Enterprises

134. SHRI C. PERUMAL: Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Board of Reconstruction of Public Sector Enterprises has recommended revival of 30 pubic sector enterprises at a cost of Rs. 9740 crores;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any final decision has been taken in this regard;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIESAND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) and (b) The Board for Reconstruction of Public Sector Enterprises (BRPSE) has, till 30th June, 2006, given its recommendation in respect of 32 cases of PSEs envisaging fundmon-fund based assistance of about Rs. 11060 crores from Government of India, as per Statement *(See* below).

(c) to (e) The recommendation of the Board are advisory in nature. The Administrative ministries/departments process the recommendations of BRPSE for obtaining approval of the competent authority.Till 30th June, 2006, approval fo the competent authority has been obtained in respect of 17 PSEs.

Statement

List of PSEs whose revival/rehabilitation or closure/winding up proposals have been cleared by Board for Recorlstruction of Public Sector Enterprises (BRPSE)

SI. No.	Name of the CPSE	Name of the Ministry/ Department	Fund/Non-fund based assistance from Government of India recommended by BRPSE (Rs./in crores)
1.	Hindustan Salts Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	77.58
2.	Bridge & Roof Co. (India) Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	172.92
3.	BBJ Construction Co. Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	54.61
4.	Tyre Corporation of India Ltd.	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	818.79
5.	British India Corporation Ltd.*	Ministry of Textiles	47.35
6.	National Textiles Corporation Ltd. & its 9 subsidiaries*	Ministry of Textiles	0.00
7.	Madras Fertilizers Ltd.	Deptt. of Fertilizers	185.31
8.	HMT Bearigns Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	51.37
9.	Praga Tools ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	214.71
10.	Braithwaite & Company Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	288.21
11.	NEPA Ltd.	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	229.07
12.	Richardson & Cruddas Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	0.00
13.	Central Inland Water Transport Corporation Ltd.	Deptt. of Shipping	417.00
14.	Tungabhadra Steel Products Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	0.00
15.	Bharat Wagon & Engineering Co. Ltd	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	190.11

SI. No.	Name of the CPSE	Name of the Ministry/ Department	Fund/Non-fund based assistance Trom Government of India recommended by BRPSE (Rs./in crores)
16..	Bharat Pumps & Compressor Ltd.	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	137.00
17.	Hindustan Antibiotics Ltd.*	Deptt. of Chemicals & Petrochemicals	204.37
18.	Eastern Coalfields Ltd.	Ministry of Coal	0.00
19.	Cement Corporation of India Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	1436.54
20.	Bharat Opthalmic Glass Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	8.00
21.	HMT Machine Tools Ltd.	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	735.00
22.	Heavy Engineering Corporation Ltd.*	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	1368.30
23.	Hindustan Organic Chemicals Ltd.*	Deptt. of Chemicals & Petrochemicals	350.00
24.	Hindustan Insecticides Ltd.	Deptt. of Chemicals & Petrochemicals	240.01
25.	Mineral Exploration Corporation Ltd.	Ministry of Mines	104.64
26.	Fertilizers & Chemicals Travancore Ltd*	Department of Fertilizers	670.37
27.	Hindustan Shipyard Ltd.	Department of Shipping	802.20
28.	Central Electronics Ltd.	Department of Scientific & Industrial Research	28.60
29.	National Projects Construction Corporation Ltd.	Ministry of Water Resources	805.97

SI. No.	Name of the CPSE	Name of the Ministry/ Department	Fund/Norvfund based assistance from Government of India recommended by BRPSE (Rs./in crores)
30,	MECON Ltd. Andrew	Ministry of Steel	100.72
31.	Yule & Co.Ltd.	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	655.49
32.	Instrumentation Ltd.	Deptt. of Heavy Industry	665.44
	TOTAL		11059.68

*-ln respect of 17 cases mentioned against SI. No. 1,2, 3, 5,6,8,9, 10,12,13,14,17,19,20,22,23, &26, decisions have been taken by the competent authority.

National Renewal Fund

135. SHRI DARA SINGH: Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether any National Renewal Fund has been set up for protecting the interests of employees affected due to closure of public sector undertakings;

(b) if so, the amount of financial assistance provided to the said fund by the Government during the last three years and the current year; and

(c) the major works undertaken by utilizing the said assistance during the above period?

THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) to (c) National Renewal Fund (NRF) was set up in February, 1992 to create a safety net for those sections of the society who were likely to be adversely affected due to closure of establishments. NRF had been meeting expenses' towards Voluntary Retirement of employees of CPSEs as also for rehabilitation of employees of the organized sector consisting of CPSEs, State PSEs and the Private Sector. From 1992-93 till 31.3.2001, retraining and redeployment of rationalized employees formed a part of NRF and was administerd by the Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion. NRF has ceased to exist with effect from 12th July, 2000. A Plan Scheme of Counselling, Retraining and Redeployment (CRR) for separated employees of CPSEs is under implementation since 2001-02 by this Department. During 2003-04 to